

EP Incentive Payments

EHR Incentive Program

Overview

- An Eligible Professional (EP) can receive a total of \$63,750 over six years. Payment Years do not need to be consecutive but the first year of participation must have been before or during the 2016 Payment Year. Any EP who did not participate and receive an initial incentive payment before or for Program Year 2016 is no longer eligible to participate in the program.
- In the first year of participation, EPs were able to receive \$21,250. Over the subsequent 5 years of participation, up to payment year 2021, EPs are eligible to receive \$8,500 per year.
- Pediatricians who achieve 20% or higher Medicaid patient volume, but do not meet the required 30% Medicaid patient volume threshold will receive two-thirds of the incentive payment. This means some pediatricians may receive \$14,167 in their first year and \$5,667 in subsequent years.

Incentive Payment Schedule Examples

Payment Year	EP participates in consecutive years, starting in 2011	EP participates in non-consecutive years	EP initiates payment in 2016
2011	\$21,250	\$0	\$0
2012	\$8,500	\$21,250	\$0
2013	\$8,500	\$0	\$0
2014	\$8,500	\$8,500	\$0
2015	\$8,500	\$8,500	\$0
2016	\$8,500	\$8,500	\$21,250
2017	\$0	\$0	\$8,500
2018	\$0	\$0	\$8,500
2019	\$0	\$8,500	\$8,500
2020	\$0	\$8,500	\$8,500
2021	\$0	\$0	\$8,500
Total	\$63,750	\$63,750	\$63,750

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